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Mr. Stan Wagner Ziegler Chemical and Mineral Star Route Vernal, Utah 84078

Subject: Clarification of Approval to use Fly Ash, Ziegler Chemical and

Mineral, Ziegler Gilsonite Operations, M/047/013, Uintah County,

<u>Utah</u>

Dear Mr. Wagner:

On February 25, 2004, the Division approved your proposal to use fly ash to fill portions of the Cowboy Vein. The map submitted with this proposal shows fly ash being placed in trenches on private land in Section 4, Township 9 South, Range 24 East, SLBM, but it has come to our attention that the text of the cover letter submitted with this proposal indicates some material would also be dumped in Section 3. Section 3 contains land managed by the Bureau of Land Management.

Until you gain approval from the Bureau of Land Management to use fly ash in Section 3, the approval from the Division will only apply to private lands in Section 4.

Thank you for your cooperation. If you have any questions about this clarification letter, please call me at 801-538-5261.

Sincerely,

Paul B. Baker, Reclamation Biologist Utah Division of Oil, Gas and Mining

cc: Stan Perkes, BLM State Office
Pete Sokolosky, Vernal BLM
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